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- Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement. A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed. A Request for Extension of Time. X A copy of Surrender of Letter Patent cover letter (submitted in related application 09/846,207).
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Further to our telephone conversation on May 5, 2003, and in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.171 and 37 C.F.R. §1.178, the Assignee of the entire interest in the abovementioned Letters Patent herein surrenders original Patent No. 6,075,576. The original patent is included herein. Accordingly, the present application satisfies the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.171 and 37 C.F.R. §1.178, and allowance of the present application is requested.

> Respectfully submitted, Thiow Keng TAN et al.

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